Dury were guests over Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sargent.-Mrs. Minnie Bradley, daughter, Miss Merle, son, Ray spent Christmas day in Johnion with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Donald Page,-Mrs. C. W. Barrow and Wayne, have returned home stay with Mr. and Mrs. H. Butterfield of Burlington -- Miss Nellie Watts of Haverhill, Mass., came riday morning for a two weeks' stay with her sister, Mrs. Mary Camp. -Mrs. Blair and Miss Barbara Davison Burlington.—Mrs. Carrie Woodard, who preciation of her faithful work as orimproving -Miss Marie Smalley and Ray over 80 years of age were remembered Smalley of the University of Vermont are with boxes of candy and nuts, or other spending the holidays with their mother, gifts by the Community Church at Mrs. Minnie Smalley, A. W. Wheeler, Christmas time.—Mr. and Mrs. Rufus who has been very ill, threatened with If. Gale eumonia, is gaining.—Mr. and Mrs. E. reception Saturday afternoon Ealls have gone to Peru, N. Y., for evening at the home of Mr. H. Ealls have gone to Peru, N. Y., for

meeting was held at the G. A. R. hall, trhe usual business hour was observed The ladies of the W. R. C. have ordered bury have gone to Boston for a few C. E. Davis in Melrose. Mass. days' stay.-Judge G. M. Powers left have, lived in Duluth, Minneapolis, days' stay,-Miss Abbie Balley, who is came to Stowe last summer, for Citizens' company at Jeffersonville, has been Louise spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Balley .- A very pleas Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Davis Monday eve-their other child, is with her parents ning, the occasion being the 15th wed- Among those present at the reception annivorsaries of Mr. and Mrs. Davis were Mr. Gale's brother-in-law and sisand Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smalley, Supper ten Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Houston of Cady's was served and a social evening enjoyed. Falls. was served and a social evening enjoyed. Only the immediate familles were present -Miss Susan Delano returned Tuesday morning from Burlington where she spent several days with friends.-Mr. and spending the week with Mrs. Canty's the service. The body was brought has been sponding several days at the home of his father, Fred Lackard -Nat Wheeler of Ottawa, Canada, who has charge of a branch office of the wholesale drug company of Lymand & Son, has en a guest of his sister, Mrs. A. B. unson. Mr. Wheeler was formerly a f the University of Vermont were guests over Christmas of the former's parents. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Billings. They left a narrow escape from a serious fire at saturday night for Boston for a few their home Thursday night. After the authority is received from Washington stay with the latter's mother, Mrs. family had retired and gone to sleep. instructor at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass, and sister, Miss Isabel ing Mr. Barrows, they found that Daniels, of Toronto, are spending the straw which had been filled in for b Robinson.-Mrs. Robert Sparks, who un- flames were coming up through ny Allen Hospital six weeks ago, has returned home and is improving very slowly,-Mrs. Howard Skinner is confined to on Bridge street by Illness. Q., where they will reside.

Bertha Weston, who teaches in Bakersfield, is spending her vacation here.-Eva Tompson has gone to Montpelier to pass have returned to their homes.-Mrs. N. Hall has returned home from the favor of the alumni. e Christmas.-F. B. Boyden has been spent Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Leavens - Linus | Hason and Gordon Bull, Leavens is home from Montpeller for the at Earle Gates's Monday night.-Mr. and Mrs. Buel Brewster and daughter spent Christmas with Mrs. Brewster's parents. Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Newton, in Waterin Underhill Christmas .- Mr. and Mrs. and daughter are visiting in Grand Isle.- The Misses Dorothy and Charlotte Lang and Gordon Gates are home from the University of Vermont. School will reopen January 4 .- Mr. and lington Thursday -P. S. McDurphey has been in Burlington a few days.-Word been received that Harry H. Reynolds, an officer on the U. S. S. Binck Hawk, expects to sail for South Amercan ports January ! - Many who had planed to go away Christmas day, were towards Burlington did not go down until 2:30 in the afternoon-A large audience witnessed the Mary Pickford pletures givhere Christmas day and they were much enloyed .- John Lang, of Essex, was s recent guest of Gordon Gates.

STOWE

Twenty-four men were present at farewell banquet given by the employer at the Mt. Mansfield Creamery and the business men of Stowe Sunday evening at the Green Mountain ban to Arthur D Lynch, who has resigned the position of Creamery association to a cept that o (VE) Creamery. A chicken-pie supper served by Landford and Mrs. F. W. Webster was followed by after-dinner speaking, Dr. H. W. Barrows presiding and presenting Mr. Lynch to behalf of the company a gold watch and chain Plans for furthering the interests Stowe were discussed, among the speak ers being the Rev. C. E. Hayward, C. McMahon, H. E. Shaw, Prin. C. J. Strand. A. C. Onkes and others. Mesers. Hayward, H. C. McMahon and W. A. Knight were appointed as a committee to arrange for a meeting of the Stowe Civic club in January to consider plans for advertising and otherwise promoting the interests of the town. M. C. Knight of Newbury was among those present. Lynch, who was here for the banquet Christmas services were carried out Sunday morning and evening at the Com-A. D. Lynch, Miss Verna Stockman, Mrs. Douglass, H. W. Burnham, C. A. Riley

les from eight to 12 o'clock Friday eveing, of a community service and recep-January & A furnace for heating the ter, Mrs J. G. Flannagan and family lower rooms has been installed in the Portsmouth, N. by the primary classes and the girls' ping the presents from a large Christthe Pr. A. faculty are spending the mas tree and their distribution by memholidays at their respective homes, Al- bers of the young men's class. Among burg and Craftsbury; Miss Mary Mar- the gifts on the tree was a sum of money home in presented to Miss Marjoria Watts in apwere given a surprise brother and his wife. Mr and Mrs. E. B. Gale, on West Branch, in honor of the 25th suniversary of their marriage. Mr. Gale is the son of Mrs. Presson R. Gale a large silk flag, which they will present Double Gale is the daughter of Mr. and to the American Legion.-H. E. Farnham Mrs. W. T. Double of Florida. They were in company with Burton Luce of Water- married December 25, 1895, by the Rev Paul, Boston, Stowe and Cleveland. They Telephone Gale's health, having purchased Mrs. Bigglow's house on West Branch where they now live. Their older daughter, Miss Virginia, is attending achdel ant evening was spent at the home of in Cleveland, while little Grace Clara.

The funeral of Howard A. Butts was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of his son, Harry C. Butts, in Elmore, where he died at an early hour Sunday morning. Mes. E. H. Olmstead have returned from The three sons, Harry C. and Leon S. and where they were guests Dwight M. Butts, and grandson, Clyde of Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Albee.—Dr. and Butts, acted as bearers, and the Rev. Mrs. J. M. Canty of St. Johnsbury are George F. Fortier of Morrisville conducted Stowe and the burial was made in the Frederick Lackard of Fitchburg, Mass.. River Bank cemetery. Mr. Butts had been has been spending several days at the sill for a long time with heart trouble and cancer but was as well as usual and about the house Saturday, and died very suddenly about one o'clock, Besides his clair high school for several years.— R. S. Pierce have been ill.—Henry Smille, three sons and two grandsons, Mr. Butts. Andres Anderson of Springfield, Mass., is who is attending college in New York was the last surviver of the children of visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. State, is the guest of his parents, Mr. the late Mr. and Mrs. Noah Butts, for- and Mrs. C. J. Strand, Mr. Anderson ex- and Mrs. W. P. Smille.-Winford Beard resident of Morrisville and a student at merly well-known residents. His wife, People's Academy,—Byron, little son of Mrs. Deetto Towns Butts, died in 1996. and Mrs. John Tevyaw, is recovering Mr. Butts was a veteran of the Civil War, ball for old and young at the Akeley town ball at Jeffersonville. January 2, m a severe attack of bronchitis.—Mrs. serving nearly a year. He was a member Memorial building Wednesday evening, January 10, a male quartette. "Orphen from a severe attack of bronchitis.—Mrs. serving nearly a year. He was a member Memorial building Wednesday evening. January 10, a male quartette. "Orphans John McDermot is confined to the house of the H. H. Smith Post, G. A. R. He was Music will be by Shackett's orchestra. Four," will give an entertainment at the by illness; James and Sumner Billings in his 75th year. He was born and passed - The change in the time of the arrival hall at leftersonville. the most of his life in Stowe

straw which had been filled in for bank. on one hand, feared to be blood poleoning holidays with their sister, Mrs. L. C. ing under the veranda was on fire and spaces in the flooring in a threatening manner. Others of the household were called and the boards were torn up and the straw hauled out and water thrown her home on Bridge street by illness.— on until the flames were subdued. It Sabin Hodges of North Hyde Park is was necessary to keep a watch for some time as there was a high wind and E. Derby.-Mrs, Gussie Wheeler and son, flames kept breaking out. Ashes had Illiam, have gone to North Hatley, P. been taken up before five o'clock that Tompson has gone to Montpeller to pass the flooring was considerably burned. day —The Rev. E. G. French span Sunday with relatives.—Mr. and Mrs. Meady and son, Raridall, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barrows.—The Misses Rarious and Mrs. C. H. Barrows.—The Misses Rarious and Mrs. C. H. Barrows.—The Misses Rarious and Mrs. A load of men form home here.—Cecile Tobin, who is employed at the Waterbury lan., spent the week of the fire under control. Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Bailey, of East Fairfield, spent Christmas with the fire under control. Mr. and Mrs. I. Moore supiled for him the fire under control. Mr. and Mrs. I. Barrows appreciate their response, howelf is the flooring was considerably burned. day —The Rev. E. G. French span Sunday with his family here.—The Home Mrs. Louvan Rogers, who reades the Salisbury warehouse for and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to G. and Mrs. Howelf is and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to G. and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to Tuesday evening. An It-pleae orchestra and fire alone, a call for help was telephoned the control of the Rod Cross ball af the Salisbury warehouse for and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to G. and Mrs. Tolman was in Wast.—The Rev. E. G. French span Sunday with his family here.—The Hoo. M. G. and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to Tuesday evening. An It-pleae orchestra and Mrs. Tolman was in Waster-from West Branch responsed but found the fire under control. Mr. and Mrs. It sudge Rowell's, went last week to Tuesday evening. An It-pleae orchestra and Mrs. Nowich to visit her son and family.

Charles Whiting—L. E. Coho, Earl Weich and the Combined Methodists and Reptist the fire under control was the fire alone, a call for help with his family here.—The Hoo. Mrs. Tolman Rogers.

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Cross ball af the Salisbury warehouse day with his family here.—It such here.—The G. and Mrs. Barrows appreciate their response, how ever, as much as, if they had been need. E. othy Lang spent Christmas in Enosburg ed. as it at first appeared -A fast game Falls with Mr. and Mrs. George Gaines of basketball at the local g massium F. S. Ransom and men have finished Thursday evening between the Stowe work on A. D. Cutting's new barn and high school alumni and the Stowe regular teams resulted in a score of 46 to 17 in Fanny Allen hospital, where she has been the line up: Alumni, Munn Boardman, for several weeks -K. B. Smith was at r. f.; Walter Morgan 1 f. John Boardin Hyde Park the past week as juryman Shaw, 1. g.; regulars. Nell Robinson, r on the Mudgett case.-Harlows Leavens f.; Dalton Wells, l. f.; Dennis Kaiser center; Glenn Kaiser, r. g.; Clitus Tomden, time keeper: Raeburn McMahon. holidays.-Dr. G. H. Newton was a guest referee.-There were about 35 couples is attendance at the grange dance at the Akeley Memorial building Thursday evening. Music was furnished by Chase and Saturday at her home on the Cambridge Shackett's orchestra and an oyster supper was served. Lewis Latuch was the committee in charge.-Miss Katherine school had a Christmas tree and exercises at the school house Thursday afternoon. The exercises included speaking, Mrs. William Hebb.-Miss Georgia Batley singing and a little farce. A real Santa town -Mrs. Linus Leavens was in Bur- 40 visitors were present -Among the was impersonated by Nina Davis, About holiday visitors here are George F. Moody of Burlington with his aunts, Mrs. Almira Stayton and Mrs. Jane Howe at Mrs. Slayton's; Miss Grace Bigelow of Springfield, Mass, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Bigelow: Melvin Wilson of Newfields, N. with his mother, Mrs. P. E. Bailey, Miss Beatrice Gale and Miss Lucy Latuch of the Burlington Business College Miss Hildegarde Smalley of the Plattsburgh. N. Y., Normal School, the Misses Rebecca Buron, Kathryn Recor and Effle Sleeper and Floyd Sleeper of the University of Vermont,-Miss Elsie Hastings went to home in Calais to spend Christmas Mrs. C. H. Hosmer has returned to Box-

is recovering -Alisa Helen Houston and Ernest Foster have return er after attending a short course in agriculture at the University of Verme Alongo R. Alexander and Miss Ethel May W. T. Best in Morrisville, December 20

Madge Merritt of Morrisville were Christmas visitors at the home of their sister Mrs. P. A. Raymond, Messys, Jankins and Raymond left on a snow shoe like to Mt. Mansfield Friday morning. Mr. Jen das expects to visit Mt. Washington New Year's.

after coming on account of the ill-

ness of her little grandson, Richard Hos-

the first time here Saturday evening and registered from 16 to 24 below in different localities Sunday morning. A foot or more of snow fell Monday and Tuesday giving the appearance of late January or morning. -At a special meeting Tuesday Mrs. C. E. Hayward, Mrs. R. L. Moulton into the order. Refreshments were servner to the Post Saturday. There will be The augmented choir a session of the Corps at 10 o'clock. Din-W. Barrows. Mrs. ner will be served at noon and the offi-S. Macutchan, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mrs. Mary Goss of Montpelier, depart-suglass, H. W. Burnham, C. A. Riley ment president, and assistant, Mrs. May C. J. Strand with Miss Marjorie Colby will act as installing officers: Watts as organist carried out programs Members of the Post and Corps are inof special music, including anthems, solos vited.—Mrs. E. W. Moulton has gone to evening for working degrees.—A reunion and duots at both services and appropriations of the winter with her of the Cambridge high school class of

of song during the church school was was in Burlington on business Tuesday was a visitor in this place Christmas .- Bethany Guild realized \$132.50 from their conducted by Mrs. Hayward. Announce- and Wednesday.—The condition of Wilbur A family reunion was held at John sale of aprons, fancy articles and food, held most was made of a watch night serv- Parks of Benton, Ark., which had been Tracy's Sunday. more favorable, was failing when heard from Wednesday,-Mr. and Mrs. A. Luce tion of members next Sunday and of the leave Thursday expecting to pass the re-annual church dinner and annual meeting mainder of the winter with their daughlower rooms has been installed in the church and find the church and that together with the new conference for heating the auditorium made the church very comfortable, notwithstanding the zero weather of the day.—Christmas exercises were of the day.—Christmas exercises were confined to her bed suffering are spending a few weeks with relatives of the day.—Christmas exercises were confined to her bed suffering are spending a few weeks with relatives of Relat carried out at the church by the Sunday from the effects of a bunion.—Mrs. Car- in Hardwick.—Miss Delta Collins, of Bel school Friday evening. There were songs rie George went Tuesday to Burlington lows Falls, is spending the holidays a to bring home the infant daugnter of Mr. th her sister, Mrs. Mary Camp. —Mrs. classes and a little play, "On Christmas and Mrs. C. L. Robinson, who has had rank Smith, who has been quite ill of illions grip, is slowly improving.—Miss took part and which ended by strip. slary Fletcher Hospital.—A special tyrtle Blair and Miss Barbara Davison meeting of Mystic Lodge, No. 56, F. and A. M., was held at Masonic hall Tuesday evening.-R. R. McMahon has returned from Montreal, where he passed Christmas with Mrs. McMahon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor .-Miss Myra Herrick of Morrisville is passing a few days with Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Smith at Moscow -Miss Jane Tomilinson has returned from Northfield, where passed Christmas with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Alger.-Raymond Curtis, six years old, who died at the Heaton Hospital in Montpeller last week from injuries received while coasting, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis, who recently moved from Stowe to Barre. Mrs. Curtis is just getting up from of pneumonia.-Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Hale are parents of a daugher born December 28, their seventh child. Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Raymond entertained on Christmas day Mrs. Raymond's Miss Bleanor Black is home from he parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jenkins, and brothers, Merrill, Raymond, Harry and Friend of Morrisville and sisters, Miss Madge Merritt of Morrisville and Mrs. L. Kelley of Lyndonville and Mrs. A. Mrs. Ruth Robinson returned to Bur-

lington Monday after passing Christmas at the home of her son, N. B. Robinson. -E. W. Tinkham, service representative of the Garford Motor Truck company, is passing a week with his family in Stowe. Mr. and Mrs. Burton Loveland and son, Harry, Budd W. Warren and Miss Sadle Bulock of Middlebury were guests for Christmas at H. A. Warren's.-Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Van Dusen and family passed Christmas with Mrs. Van Dusen's brother and family in Elmore - Announcements of the engagement of their daughter. Miss Anne Smith to George S. Harris of Montof the first car on the electric road from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Barrows had Waterbury from 11.00 a. m. to 5:40 will to walt for the arrival of the mail and Mae Billings.-Robert Daniels, military Mrs. Barrows, awakening about it o'clock then to deliver the morning Pres Press to discovered a blaze on the veranda. Rous. the patrons on some routes before noon

-Clarence Bermett is disabled by a sore Leslie Davis is driving Mr. milk team. - Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cobb returned Monday from Jeffersonville, where they passed Christmas with Mr. Cobb's brother, E. S.

JOHNSON

The Misses Mae and Jennie Maxfield are morning and put into an iron pail which spending the helidays with their parents, had been placed on the veranda and it is Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Maxfield, of Hartsupposed that the high wind blew a spark ford. Conn.—Robert Marcey, of Boston, from the pall into the straw through a spent Christmas with his parents. Mr. dence on Main street Thursday. The Rev. A. B. Ross of the Congregational Church conducted a prayer service and Waterman Lodge of Masons conducted the Following was acted as master, rendering the service in an ideal hotel keeper and made a large and daughter, also a sister. Burtal was n Lamoille View cemetery.

E E Wells died Dec 21 after a long filness with a cancer. The funeral was held at his home Thursday afternoon, followed by a Masonic service and internent in Lamoille View cometery.-Frank Prior, father of Mrs. Joel Boyes, died road. The body was taken to Underhill Mrs. Pearley Hodgkins are spending some time with his mother, Mrs. Emma Hodgkins. He has sold his farm in Charlotte. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hebb of Bartlett, passed Christmas with his mother, passing her Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. Clarey -Schools in town are closed for the holday vacation and will open January 4.

WOLCOTT

Mr. and Mrs. Didas Lapalme, of St. Johnsbury, spent Sunday at Leon La-palme's.-Leon Martin, of Chateaugay, N. is a guest at William Robbins's - Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Thomas, of Hardwick, were in town at E. W. Albee's Saturday. -Miss Ruth Davis is home from Wollaston, Mass.-W. C. Reed and family passed Christmas with relatives in St. Albans -Eli Druary is passing the winter with

JEFFERSONVILLE

The annual election of officers occurred the regular meeting of the Masons on Thursday evening and elected the follow-Master, Harold C. Chase; senior warden, Edson M. Thomas; Junior warien, H. B. Hill; secretary, C. J. Thomas; treasurer. W. W. Raymore, A special meeting was held Saturday evening to work degrees.-Several from this place attended county court Thursday and Friday .- Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blshop. New York city, are in town for the hol--Mrs. Helen Emerson is to spend the holidays with her people at Hardschool at North Cambridge, working in

lobb's garage Saturday. Bert Steams spent Christmas with his ather in Burlington.-Mr. and Mrs. bester Davis of Plattsburgh, N. V., are dsiting at Leander Portlers. - Mrs. L. H. Melendy had the misfortune to Christmas day, breaking her leg. She was taken in the ambulance to the Fanny Allen hospital and is resting as comfortably as can be expected.-Mrs. Lena Melvin and Mrs. C. B. Richards were at Mil-Four famous male quartette will render a wide variety of songs from the largest reportoire of any singing male quartette F in America at the town hall January 10. This is the third member of the school lecture course .- A special meeting of the Masonic order was held Saturday

HYDE PARK The Misses Dorothy Tillotson and Heisn 6 .- Miss Delta Chandler has been quite ill Thorp have returned from the hospital much improved in health -Mr. and Mrs. H.-Mr. and Mrs. John H. A. Noyes were visitors in Burlington George, of Magon, P. Q., December 22-Mrs. Helen Shaw and chillows Falls, is spending the holidays at Breezy Hill. -Miss Mildred Lampher is holiday season with her parents, home from Hartford Conn., for the hol-Superintendent Crosby and family, of Williamstown, are spending a few days here.- A Christmas tree and approgregational Church Friday evening. James E. Haiffeigh and Miss Effzabeth Wells were married at Valley Falls, N Dec. 18. The groom the high school there.-Hubert Harris and Erms Cowan, both of this place, were married by the Rev. Mr. Mercer Saturday, Dec. 18 .- A son was born and Mrs. Roydan Reed at the Sparhawk sanitarium at Burlington December 30, The parties reside here, Mr. Reed being manager of the asbestos mines.-The Misses Charlotte Irish and Mildred Looker spent Christmas, the former at her home in Underhill, and the latter at her home in Brandon.-Mrs. Roy Hamlin and son the holidays at the home of the Hon. R. Hulburd -There was midnight mass at St. Theresa's Church Friday night school duties at St. Johnsbury for the holidays,-Miss Natalie Noyes spent Cartetmax here with her parents. WATERVILLE Palmer.-Alva Robinson of Elmore

There will be a watch night service at the Union Church Friday evening begin ning at nine o'clock. All are cordially invited.-Mrs. Wallace Armstrong of Middiebury is the guest of her parents. Mr. Henry Paxman were cailed home last week by the serious illness of their mother.-Mrs. Beth Paxman passed away Tuesday morning. She is survived by her husband, two sons and two daugh ters.-Mrs. Charles Brage has returned from Highgate Center.-Abble Abell was have been received from Mr. and Mrs. at home from St. Albans Christmas. George W. Smith of Hackettstown, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hawley of Jeffer sonville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. clair. Mr. Harris is a Stowe boy, a grad-uate of Stowe high school in the class of Albans.—Mrs. Olga Smith and son, Or-I. Laraway spent Christmas in St 1906 and from the University of Vermont land Thomas, of Randolph Center are a in 1909. He has been a teacher in the Mont. home for the holidays .- D. B. Oaks and

pects to go soon to visit his native coun-ity. Sweden.—There will be a leap year Ghorst, bird naturalist, will be at the

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take care of Mrs. Hall, who is ill.—Miss. Georgia White, a guest of the Rev. and Mrs. Homer White Christmas, left for Springfield Monday .- Mr. and Mrs. Thom Cobb, and family. Mr. as Adams, of West Woodstock, after Cobb's mother, Mrs. J. C. Cobb, who ac- several days passed at Randolph Center companied them to Jeffersonville remained with relatives, went to their home Monday.-Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Galarneau, of Rochester, who passed Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones, have returned home -William and Frank Plum ley went to Hartland last week to visit their sister.-Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bennett were in Rochester Sunday with their daughter.-Mrs. W. F. Edson and the flooring was considerably burned. day.—The Rev. E. G. Fronch spent Sun-fire alone, a call for help was considerably was family here.—The Hon. M. H. over the holiday with their moth-fire alone, a call for help was considerable and Mrs. Lewis Manuey, returning Mon-N. H. over the holiday with their moth-er.—Mrs. Louvan Rogers, who resides Cross ball of the Sall-tended the Red space in the flooring. The under side of and Mrs. Lewis Marsiey, returning Mon-Churches worshipped in the latter church. The union service was held in Bethany Church .- Mr. and Mrs. Douglas of the latter's uarents. Mr. and Mrs. B. burial service. Past Master D. B. Smalley and Mrs. Rex Fullam came from Montpe-Her Friday and are visiting at the home a very impressive manner. Mr. Welle was of Mr. and Mrs. Selden Tewksbury and also other relatives in the vicinity. - Miss man, center; Elwin Smalley, r. g.; Gale circle of friends. He leaves a wife, son, Helen Merrill, who has been out of town for several months, is the guest of Mrs T. Salisbury .- Mr. and Mrs. Claude Farr, of Hancock, after visiting Alice Moore, left for their home Monday. Gifford Moore, who is able to be out he hospital, is with his mother, Mrs. Moore.-Mrs. has been in Barre visiting her daugh-Wilmot, has returned home.-Mrs. A. M. Rowe, who went to Proy. N. Y., last week to visit her son. arrived home the first of the week. Mr. Howe, who was here Sunday, left Monday to resume his business .- Miss Bertine Manney, who is employed by the Frontier Press company in Boston, has been assing several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Manney .-Bitby, a leacher in New Jersey, arrived Sunday morning to pass the week with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Alden at the ome of A. J. Curtis .- Mrs. Lucy Kidder has closed a week's stay here with Mrs. Southard and gone to her home in Bethel. Mrs. C. C. Stevens is passing severa days in Boston with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Eillott.-The West Randolph Grunge held a meeting Saturday. was necessary to elect three officers ill the vacancies caused by the resignations of those who were elected. The ballot resulted to the choice of H. W. Hol den for master, Mrs. George Allen for of Ceres, and Gladys Passett as indy as-Concord, was a guest at F. P. Twiss's sistant steward. Nine candidates were sunday. officers given. Mrs. Gertrude Fassett. ecturer, gave a report of the State Grange which she attended at Si. Johnsbur and Miss Zaine Blair a banjo solo. Mrs. Dummit, lecturer of Hillcrest Grange, gave Carrigen a Christmas selection and George Flint read some verses paying his respects to the lecturer. It was voted to invite Clarence Martin, of Rochaster, to not as installing officer at the first meet ing in January.

A soldier who gave his name as Private Clifford Wisher was arrested at the rallroad station Friday, on charge of being a deserter, and also charged with theft. Suspicions were first aroused when be he watch for a deserter from Fort Ethan here with their parents. ste sermons were delivered by the pas- daughter, Mr. Ethel Thompson in Law- 1939 with banquet was held at Hotel modeling the interior of the Barre Savings cantata, "The First Christmas." by tra appointed page, and himself soon enters for, the Rev. C. E. Hayward. A service rence, Mass. The Rev. C. E. Hayward Melendy Saturday evening. Harold Hebb Bank & Trust company. The ladies of Bishop Wilson, was presented by a chor- on his duties as representative. Mr.

Mountain Glove company is closed for the holidays but will resume work January for ten days, but is now thought to be improving -- Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barplay and children of Barre were with Mrs. Barclay's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ryro Monchester, Christmas day .- Mr. and Mrs Rex Fullam of Montpeller came Friday parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selden Tewksbury ney came from Boston Friday to pass the Mrs. John Manney.-Mrs. Lucy Kidder of Bethel, who had been with Mrs. Forest Southard for a weak, left for her home on Friday,-Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Dumas on Friday.-Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Dumas left on Friday for Manchester. N. H., where they will visit their son, Frederick Dumas, and family, and ther will go to Springfield, to visit other relatives before returning home.-Miss Margaret Cheney. teacher in Brandon, was in town for the holiday recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chency.-Miss Etta Chamberlin, a teacher in Montpelier, is passing lew days here.-Miss Marjorie Spauldng, another teacher, from Springfield, is passing her vacation here with her father. F. E. Spaulding.-Mrs. W. D. Hampton and child came from Morrisville to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hale Flint, . Earl Church, who has been employed in Worcester, has been compelled to give up his work on account of poor health, and is at the Church farm.-Frank Williams, who has been on his father's farm is Braintree for a couple of years, has ac cepted a position as superintendent for testing department of the Spencer Wire company of Palmer, Mass., and left here last week. His family are living in the A. T. Neff house on Central street until suitable quarters can be found in in town last week to see his brother, Riley W. Wood has rented and moved into the Stockwell block.—A Christmas exercise in the form of a cantate, "A Good Time With Santa Claus," was given at Methodist Church on Priday evening tree. At the Baptist Church, also, there Sunday school had their exercises the same evening, with a tree. -The Rochester ciub gave a dance at the Grange half Thursday evening.

The annual meeting of Fern Lodge

the Rebekahs was held at he Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evneing, with a small attendance, owing, no doubt, to the Red Cross ball the same night. After the usual closing up of the business for the year it was found the lodge had raised about \$200 aside from the dues and financially was in a good condition. The election of of-ficers resulted as follows. Noble grand, Elizabeth Booth; secretary, Miss Mildred appointive officers will be made known together at a joint installation some date January, to be announced later. The todge has now lot members.-Robert Sault of Lawrence, Mess., is passing several days here with his sister, the Misses Agnes and Mabel Sautt. Harold Sautt and wife, also of St. Albans, are here with Mr. Sault's parents for several days.-Miss Minnie Davis of Hertford is visiting Mrs. Mary Hills came from Northfield Mrs. E. T. Sallebury - Clifford Pate. Morday and went to East Randolph to Tuesday afterpoon for Effingham. Mrs. E. T. Salisbury.-Clifford Patch left where he will enter a college of photography to take a three months' course. rank and William Plumley have returned rom Hartland, where they went to visi their sister and her family.-Mrs. Christine Bruce of Lebanon, N. H., is passing a few days here with her little daughter at the home of Mrs. Alice Bruce.—The latest news from Mrs. J. C. Wells is very encouraging and she is thought to be ing a good recovery. She is at the home of her son, John Wells, in East Randolph where she was taken ill.-Mrs. V. Frazer has closed a visit of several day here with her daughter, Mrs. George from out of town to attend the dance. News has been received of the death of southern pine timbers are being unloaded Mrs. Frank Chandler in New York. Mrs. which are to be used, in rebuilding the Barclay and children were at the home Chandler had been in fra! health for a B & M. ratiroad bridge across Lake long time and her death was not un-Frank Chandler, the brother of Col. A. B.

thandler, and was well known by many of the older residents.-Clifford Moore who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be out and is at the home of his mother, Mrs. Alice Moore, for a time, till he is able to go to work. lodge of Odd Fellows was held Monday night, with a fair attendance. The reports were given and the following Nobie grand. George Mudgett: vice-grand, B. A. Averill; secretary George Rogers, treasurer, A. M. Hub-bard. The appointive officers will be made known and installed in January The lodge have made a request for a joir that will be determined in the near

installation with the other bodies and RANDOLPH CENTER Mrs. Charles Chadwick is ili and un der the care of a doctor.-The Rev. Mr Snow left for Ottawa Monday for a short visit and to bring his wife and infant son back .- A. S. Wells and E. R. Hayward spent Christmas in Philadelphia Miss Clara Balch of Claremont is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooley - Ralph been III. is much improved and able to be about the house.-Mrs. Farneworth having a week's vacation from eaching on Osgood hill.-Christmas eve the young people sang carols around the tree with a program of songs and recitations by the children and lantern slides appropriate to the occasion and distributions from a well laden tree, made a very enjoyable evening. The exercises in Agricultural hall. A contribution of about \$14 was taken for the children's re llef fund for the East - Miss Annie Clark much enjoyed recitation, Mrs. G. I. of Lynchburg, Va., is spending her vaca tion with her staters. Hattle and Neille Clark Miss Nellie has been an invalid for many months.

Orleans County

NEWPORT

David Anderson, of Montpeller, a stuoffered to sell his uniform, and a message dent at Norwich University, who is the was received about that time to be on guest of Wesley Joslyn during the hol-Idays, sprained his ankle white coasting Allen. The same morning the hand car Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Leavitt and tools belonging to the East Granville and Miss Lillian Leavitt spent Christsection foreman were taken from the mas with relatives in Lyndonville.—
Braintree repair barn, and left on the track below the station. Wisher was placed in the lock-up after some of the day after spending a few days with his tools were discovered upon his person by parents. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jenne-Sheriff D. D. Howe, and the railroad Miss Lillian Johnson, of Lowell, Mass. detective was summoned and he was is the guest of her sister. Mrs. A. T. escorted back to Fort Ethan Allen.-Cyril Lorimer.-Miss Helen Jamison is visiting ever the week-end.-The Orpheus and Wilmer Angeli, students at Dart- at her home in Ely.-Mrs. William the mouth College, are passing the vacation or is visiting relatives in Boston.-Miss with their parents. Dr. and Mrs. Doris Lorimer is in Boston for a week, Angeli.—Miss Cleora Morse of Port- where she will visit relatives.—Miss Evelyn hand. Me. is passing several days here Blackburn, of St. Johnsbury, is the guest with her brother, C. C. Morse, and wife. of the Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards.— -The Webster mill has a contract for Miss Helen Mitson is visiting Mr. and cornice and the interior finish of the new Mrs. J. F. Lambert and other friends in school building at Springfield. It is also town.—The Congregational Church was representative-elect, accompanies his son, many 8. This is an all day service; dinner to furnish the finish required for re- well filled Sunday evening when the Alton, to Montpeller, where the latter is served at noon as usual. Let members

F. D. ABERNETHY

Head of Church Street.

Business Hours 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

To-morrow, Friday, December 31

Our Advertisement of the

Greatest of Clearance Sales

Beginning on Monday, January 3

May be seen in these columns and on pages 2 and 3 of this paper.

In consequence of the unexampled conditions which govern this sale, we shall regard it as a favor if our patrons will tender cash in payment for purchases instead of asking for credit.

if the Rev. L. A. Edwards. The soloists were Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. J. E. Me-arten, Miss Marion Newland, Miss Winona Billings and W. R. Prouty. The pri-mary department of the Sunday-school iso gave several songs and recitations nder the direction of Mrs. William Bond offices. nd Miss Fila Remedell.

Jamper Robinson, Boston and Maine billing clerk even a purse of \$36 Christmas morning rom his fellow rallway employes. tobinson is in the Montreal General herital for a serious operation.-The Dartouth dance given in school hall Christnas eve was attended by a large numion of G. W. Hamilton '23, introduced nany novel-features. The receiving comoffice was made of Dartmouth graduates with their wives: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mc. arten, Mr. and Mrs. John Prouty, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Davis, Judge and Mrs. . J. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cun dustam.-Carroll Davis has been in ontpeller and Burlington on rip.Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huse of Gary. nd. formerly of this city, are the pareats of a son born December 18.—Miss Jeanse Curtis, Miss Gladys Drown, Miss Dogothy Wool and Miss Ruth Buck, U . M. atudents are home for the holi-

we months' trip to New York and New pending a few days in Boston and Manheater .- Mrs. C. A. Davis spent the holllays with her parents in Island Pond.-Windsor Journal, is visiting his sister. Mrs. Walter Abbott - The Rev. and Mrs. gift of a purse of money from the parishioners of St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Prof. Ernest Smith and Mrs. Smith of St. Caul's school, Garden City, L. I. Mr. and Mrs. Soth Smith and children of Newport Center were guests of Judge and Mrs E. J. Smith Christmas. Harley Sawyer, head of the commercial depastment of the Pawtucket high school is visiting his mother, Mrs. Rosemery

Mamphremagog WESTFIELD Decon and Mrs. William Macfariane.

ing with their son, the Rev. William Glea-son Macfariane, pastor of the Congregaional Church here, reached the 50th aniversary of their marriage December 29. which occurred in Cowansville. Can., which was their home for many years The I. A. S. arranged a surprise reception be held Tuesday afternoon from two five at the church pariors. Refresh cents were served and a purse of gold rom home to enist to the Civil War. serving three years in the famous 8th VI Regiment as bandsman, under General Banks and General B. F. Butler, At the lose of the war, for two years, he traveled from coast to coast and for some lme in South America, with a band con cert company, after which he settled Chester Adams and family of both always been identified with the various departments of church work, much of the time with the choir. Two children were born to them, but only the Nev. W. G. Macfarlane lived to grow up. They have many relatives in the United Ing Mr. and Mrs. that states and Canada, who with their many and airs. Italy the Lamb is at home from his teaching in friends, extend congratulations and good visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Adams Christ. of Lyndonville, came Friday to stay till noon with their parents.-Miss Chella Miller came home from Harrford, ona., Friday to stay at home till Mon day.-Mr. and Mrs. Guy George daughter spent Saturday with their sis-Mrs. Raclcot, at North Troy -Mr nd Mrs. John Dubois and son spent Sat rday at North Troy .- Mr. and Mrs. Al Augier entertained relatives from out town Christmas eve with a Christmas

> oung, of Los Angeles, Calif., which were catering. Points scored in the hunt some of the officers and the teachers of hour, spent in games, etc., each one re-Mrs. Harold Breer, who was born December 15, died December 23, the funeral beheld Saturday afternoon with Hoc. W. G. Macfarlane officiating, The parents have the sympathy of all their friends in the hereavement.-Mr and Mrs D. Bell went to Burlington Saturday o remain with their daughter, Mrs. Mi Shattuck, till Monday -Miss Bache spending four years in Vancouver. B. His sister, Miss Yvonne Benoit, wh

tiomer Longley, of Providence, came las

week to stay awhile with his brother.

Herbert Next Monday, O. W. Bailey.

of over 30 voices, under the direction Bailey was born in Potton, Can., November 10, 1806, and came to this town 1836, four years later bought his present farm of 400 acres, took out his natural gation papers, and entered on his life work as a successful and prospero farmer, nothing practically all the tout

GREENSBORO

to fall again a few days since and resprained wrist.-Word has been received that our former townsman, George Cumernor of Wisconsin, the State of his ador tion.-The Christmas exercises Friday evening at the town hall were well ca-Sunday, "Come to Church Sunday". Hiram Jordan is improving and was able to go down to the store one day laweek - Harold Simpson and Mariorie Per rin are home from the University of Ver mont for the holkings - Everett Perrin t Mrs. William Hardy, of Lyndonville, are spending a few days with Mrs. parents. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodrick Saturday morning, Lenvel Brown and Miss Cella Olmstead were united in marrings by the Rev. E. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Brown are popular young people of the rown and congratulations are ex-

CRAFTSBURY

Sunday school at the Methodist Episco pat Church was reorganized Sunday with the following new officers: Superintend-Walter Anderson; assistant, M. Sawyer: secretary and treasurer, Hollis Lathe. The teachers are to be appointed by the superintendent -S. A. Smith, who has been quite III, is slowly iproving. George Walker is ill with pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. L. Bigford were among those who entertained at dinner Christ mas day .- Everyone is invited to East Craftsbury, New Year's day, to the Conmunity entertainment and dinner.-Ro land Moodle, who was ill last week, suf-Episcopal Church, given by the young people and children were aspecially in teresting. The kindergarten exercises added much to the pleasure of the audience -Mrs. Lydia Robbins, who was severely hurt last week was surprised by a Christho for the past two years have been livmas tree in her room containing many beautiful and useful presents for her comfort and enjoyment.-L. Bigford came from Manchester Thursday for the Christmas recess.-The Rev. O. B. Wells and family were week-end visitors

DERBY

On December 26 thermometers registered 20 degrees below zero.-Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Haymond Jenne of Fit. Arthur, Leland and Mira Jenne, -Sylvester Williams is critically ill.-Cheste Carpenter's habies have bronchitis -Mr. lida, spant Christmas day in Dorby Linhave spent Christmas with his mother. theria and Mrs. Don Percy is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Eastman closed their house and gone to Newpor for the remainder of the winter -Osca-Abbott is very poorly this winter -Mr and Mrs. Ray Adams of Lyndonville mas day .- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams of Newport spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Svivester Wil-

NORTH CRAFTSBURY

The game supper served by the Men's club Monday evening in the gymnasium was enjoyed by a goodly company. menu was especially fine. Linus Leavone, fish and game commissioner, was ee decorated heavily with branches of Root, captain of the losing side, and his ossoms sent them from Mrs. men made the arrangements and did kindly distributed to friends - Miss against 475 - Tom Dunn and E. T. Wheel Theo Hendrix is home from her school in or are ill.—Miss Mary Root is spending Westmore for a week's vacation.—Sun—the Christmas vacation at her home and morning found the thermometer at Miss Winifred Williams of Boston is at A degrees below zero. Priday evening her parents homefor a week - Mas Sarah Robbins spent Christmas with her the Junior Sunday school classes met in sister. Myrtle, who is at the Pittsford Congregational vestry for a social sanitarium-Miss Marian Elizabeth Per erson is visiting at East Berkshire this ceiving a bag of nuts, candy, and an week -George Anderson and family spent orange, in place of a Christmas tree. Christmas at South Albany Miss Martin Doris Alice, little daughter of Mr. and returned with them as a guest of Miss Christmas at South Albany Miss Martin Edna Anderson - Christmas family gath erings were held at James Paterson' Easton's and Mrs. A. C. Dustan - Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Pred Root and daugh Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Patebanks of Greens, boro .- Over 100 attended the Christmas Brahans, of Lowell, spent last week with exercises and tree at the Congretational Church Friday night. The offering taken Benon returned to his home Tuesday af- for the Near East relief amounted to \$1 -A community gathering will be held o at the Presbyterian Church in East teaching in Irasburg, came home Pri-

Craftsbury New Year's day. Dinger will lay for the holidays.-Miles Abeli, of be served and reminiscences of the lower Irasburg recently visited Mark Willis .- by several of the older citizens will furnish the program.-The annual roll call and business meeting of the Congregational Church will be held Saturday Jan

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